ANOTHER TRIUMPH FOR AUTO

Southwest's Most Dreaded Spot, Death Valley, Has Been Made Safe for Travelers.

Death valley, once the terror of the traveler in the Southwest and the last resting place of many early-day prospectors is being made safe for travel both day and night.

This erstwhile barrier to human progress has been conquered by the automobile. Its trackless waste of sand has been surveyed and its hidden water holes marked by Uncle Sam. Not content with merely making the desert easy to cross for travelers by motor, the Automobile Club of Southern California is going further and is placing signs in such manner that the rays of the headlights from passing machines will fall upon them and guide the night tourist as safely and surely as the day traveler.

The Automobile club also will signpost all lateral routes of the famous Death valley district. Included in the sign posting being done will be a complete set of road signs directing tourists to picturesque Palm canyon, on the edge of the desert—one of the most unique spots in the world.

This oasis in the sandy wastes is to be made a national monument by the government. Its distinctive feature is the presence of ancient palms of weird beauty, standing in straight rows, apparently planted by the hand of man, but antedating history of the first human beings in this section.

NOT ALL DUE TO COMEDIAN

Part of Laughable Entertainment Was Being Furnished by Original Tenants of Barn.

Speaker Sweet said the other day in the New York state legislature at Albany:

"Because an agitator gets a lot of newspaper space it does not necessarily mean that he is a great man. Newspaper space may mean something else. It reminds me of a story.

"A rich man hired a comedian to entertain the workers on his estate one evening. The entertainment was staged in the barn, and it went well, almost too well. The comedian, in fact, had hardly got under way when the barn began to shake with shouts of laughter. Soon the laughter became so uproarious that the rich man rose and said:

"'Friends, I know how difficult it is to restrain our mirth when Mr. Backchat is on the stage, but really, you know, if we don't hold ourselves in just a little the performance will hardly be over by midnight.'

"Then a burly plowman rose in his turn.

"'Excuse me, boss,' he said; 'it ain't Mr. Backchat we're laughin' at, but somebody left the door open and all the pigs have got in, and they're nearly pushin' us off our seats.'"

Last spring a pair of blue jays nested in the crotch of a maple just below my study window. What a time they had of nest building! The female insisted on building in a crotch below, while the male thought a crotch higher up afforded a more advantageous location. They talked and scolded, building first in one place then in the other. In the end the female had her way, and the makeshift bunch of twigs and brush was collected. The birds were silent for weeks, tending strictly to family cares; the half of which the male bird assumed without a murmur or complaint. All summer long they were silent, but toward fall they joined their voices with those of the other jays in the neighborhood. It was a new slant on blue jay methods, and hereafter I shall regard the birds with a wee bit more appreciation.—Christian Science Monitor.

Poor Father.

Marian is eleven years old and thinks that she is old enough to stop having her hair bobbed and let it grow out and be braided as do the other little girls in her class. But her mother has different ideas. So, of course, there is an argument every time hair cutting time arrives. Last time mother brought forth a new argument. "I want your hair to be pretty and thick when you grow up," she said, "and there is nothing which makes your hair grow better than to cut it often."

Marian's eyes opened wide. "Then why don't you begin it on father?" she said. "He says himself that he is getting bald."

To dream of picking flowers signifies future fortune. Of holding, seeing or smelling them in season means pleasure, but if out of season, obstacles and lack of success. If the flowers are white the obstacles will be less; if yellow, they will be painful, and if red, they foretell the dreamer's serious illness. If you dream of being bedecked with flowers it means a short happiness is coming to you. If you dream of buying them you will hear some good news.—Chicago American.

No Imitations for Her.

A young physician took his best girl to a local picture house. Advertisements were being thrown on the screen, among them this one: "Make them happy with a photograph of yourself at Christmas. Our shop, etc."

The young man turned to his girl with the facetious remark, "Would a photo of me make you happy?"

She shook her head. "I don't like imitations," she pouted. "I'm used to receiving real things."

Dangerous to Woo a Spider.

Mrs. Spider will always eat Mr. Spider, if she can catch him, quite soon after they are mated. The female spider, too, will frequently devour her rejected suitors. Her swains dance a fiery sort of jazz before her, this being the method usually resorted to for obtaining the lady's affections. The male, if she thinks one of them would make a toothsome morsel eats him before he can protest. If she decides to chose a mate she will dance with him.

Patching Wall Paper.

To patch holes made in the wall by sharp-cornered furniture, etc., use cake with plaster of paris to which has been added dissolved glue to delay the hardening process. Use a half cup of dry glue to a half pound of plaster of paris. Let a scrap of the wall paper from the room to match, or get wall paper of similar design and color, and cut a patch a little irregular in shape. Carefully peel off layers from the back, thus making the patch as thin as possible and apply to the wall.

The Nursery.

Bright colors, plenty of light, clean windows, an abundance of good colored prints and toys without number are the proper furnishings for a nursery. Nursery! Why, the very name tells you what it ought to be—the home of childhood—the most important room in the house—a room that will greatly tend to stamp the character of your child for the remainder of his life.

No Call to Interfere.

My neighbor's little four-year-old girl is very old-fashioned. I was cutting off some dead limbs from my tree across the street from her and she was watching me. She called to me and said: "What are you doing?" I answered "Oh, only cutting some dead branches off. It's all right, isn't it?" She thought a minute and replied, "I guess so; it's your tree."—Exchange.

Get Along Without Meat.

Whole races of men, comprising many millions of individuals, live their entire lives without meats of any sort, and when fed a sufficient amount of other foods are wonderfully vigorous, prolific, enduring and intelligent. Witness the Brahmins of India, the Buddhists of China and Japan and the teeming millions of Central Africa.

Speed May Overcome Weight.

Professor Edward V. Huntington of Harvard university, showed by an elaborate mass of figures printed in Science that a man on a train moving along the equator westward at 18,700 miles an hour or eastward at 16,700 miles an hour would weigh nothing, as measured by an observer on the train

Not So Nice When He Was Mad.

Ethel was wheeling her little baby brother about the yard and I stopped and exclaimed over him, saying how smiling and good natured he looked. But Ethel interrupted with: "Oh, he isn't always so nice—when he's mad he stiffs himself so you can't even make a crack in him."—Exchange.

Timely Love.

Jack, four, could tell the time for his mother by locating the nearest numbers. One day when he came back to tell his mother, his eyes were as big as saucers, as he said: "Why, mother! They're both at ten! They're loving each other!"

That Which Befits Us.

That which befits us, embosomed in beauty and wonder as we are, is cheerfulness and courage, and the endeavor to realize our aspirations. Shall not the heart which has received so much, trust the power by which it lives?—Emerson.

Ocean's Floor an Advertisement

The floor of the ocean is used for advertising purposes in southern California. The water of the vicinity is traversed by glass-bottomed boats that enable tourists to see the submarine landscape.

A good many of the unknown "relatives" who always appear soon after the death of a rich hermit probably are genuine, and help explain why the hermit became a hermit.—Kansas City Star.

Worthy Life Lives in Memory.

When the sun goes below the horizon, he is not set; the heavens glow for a full hour after his departure. And when a great and good man sets, the sky of this world is luminous long after he is out of sight.—Beecher.

Varieties of Gladness.

The glad hand is the one that knows how to give a hearty shake, but it doesn't stop at that. The hand that gives and the hand that uplifts belong also to the glad variety.

The Speeding Guest.

Departing Guest — "Enjoyed ourselves? Oh, yes! What I'm upset about is leaving your hotel so soon after I've bought it."—London Opinion.

To Be Remembered.

Learning, undigested by thought, is labor lost.

Going It One Better In The Campaign for Lower Prices

33 1/3 Per Cent

Or ONE-THIRD Off Regular Prices

Ladies' Suits

Come in and take your pick of any ladies' suit in the house—note the regular price, plainly marked on the ticket and even at that regular price the BEST VALUE you could buy—then DEDUCT ONE-THIRD. That's going some you'll admit.

Silk Dresses

Choose from this splendid array of stunning taffeta and other silk dresses. The original tickets with our ergular GOOD VALUE prices are still on them—deluct your ONE-THIRD from those prices and you have a BARGAIN indeed. That's REAL price cutting.

The campaign for lower prices is sweeping the country. In accordance with our usual policy of giving our customers advantage of every trend of the market we have decided to extend this discount of 33⅓ per cent as our contribution toward the fight for lower prices. This reduction of 33⅓ per cent cuts into our ACTUAL COSTS, but we figure a quick turn-over and no left-over stocks will put us in a stronger position for merchandising our great chain of stores the coming season. Therefore we SACRIFICE ALL PROFITS and, in ADDITION, do what others are not doing---give you this discount of one-third on top of our liberal terms of credit.

CREDIT As Usual

There are restrictions on credit. We realize that many people cannot take advantage of sales because of lack of cash. But that is no handicap here. A small amount, anything you can afford, will open an account and make this great opportunity available to everyone regardless of money considerations.

This Is How You Figure Your Reduction Of 33 1-3 Per Cent

Ta ke a ladies' suit, for instance, that is priced regularly at $37.50
One-third (33 1-3 per cent) of $37.50 is $12.50
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$12.50

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GOOD EXERCISE IS MOTORING

Physician Seems to Have Made Out a Good Case for His Side of Argument.

Dr. Henry Williams, in an article in Motors, combats the theory that motoring is reducing our opportunities for exercise. He says its benefits are threefold—physical, mental and volitional. The buffeting of winds and the inhalation of large quantities of oxygen stimulate digestion, assimilation and excretion. This is true of the person who merely sits, as well as of him who drives. The latter, however, benefits directly. Doctor Williams says: "When you drive a car 40 or 50 miles over average American roads, or a fraction of that distance in any city, you give your arms and torso a course of purposeful calisthenics that redounds directly to the benefit of your muscles and arteries and heart, and indirectly, but no less significantly, to the benefit of your digestive organs of elimination as well as the nervous system."

Another Statue.

With the unveiling of the figure of Gen. William Shepherd in the community of Westfield, Mass., a worthy figure is added to the American population of revolutionary heroes whose memory is perpetuated by a public statue. General Shepherd, before the Revolution, had taken part in the "Old French war," which justified Macaulay in saying that because Frederick the Great had decided to rob a neighbor, "red men scalped each other by the great lakes of North America." He began as a private soldier and rose to the rank of lieutenant colonel under Washington, and later commanded a brigade under Lafayette. Individuals have sometimes questioned the utility of public statues; yet in this case, as in many another, the statue defeats the common forgetfulness of past deeds that has found expression in the old saying, "Out of sight out of mind."

No More Pups.

A little friend of mine who lives next door has been teasing his mother for a puppy. Knowing the destructive habits of such animals, she has firmly refused to let him have one. At last he persuaded her to let him borrow one for half a day to show her that a puppy knew enough to properly behave himself. Being warned that he must watch the puppy every minute it was in the house, the little chap for a time was careful to keep his eye on it; but, finally tiring of such vigilance, he relaxed his attention only to give the puppy the chance it had been waiting for. It improved it to the full by chewing to pieces one of his most cherished Christmas toys. This was too much for the young host. "Good night," he exclaimed, "no more pups for me; I'll get me a 10 year old dog."—Exchange.

The Artistic Temperament.

The landlady announced that a well-known humorist and cartoonist was to join us at our boarding house and we all had expectations of meeting a jolly good fellow who would drive dull care away. When he arrived he insisted on having a small table by himself, and instead of drawing his chair up to the table always drew the table to him, eating facing the wall, with his back to the guests, and declined to meet anyone. All in all he was a sad character to gaze upon and a great disappointment to the guests.—Exchange.

"Mark Him Duty."

Wealthy Patient—Oh, doctor, I have such a bad cold. I can't go to the office this morning. Can't you do something for it?

Ex-Army Medico (just out)—Get out of here! Don't you see I'm busy? There isn't anything the matter with you, you gold brick.—The Home Sector.

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RAILROAD STRIKES AND "JUSTICE"

The first purpose of the framers of the American Constitution as stated in the Preamble, was "to form a more perfect union," and the second was "to establish justice." The more perfect union was necessary in order that the Government might continue to exist. The establishment of justice was second in importance only to the union itself. In the establishment of justice the end to be attained was the protection of the many from the aggressions of the few and that is exactly the purpose of the proposed anti-strike railroad law. There can be no justice as between railroad employes and the public generally if the employes are to exercise the power to force payment of wages according to the standard which they fix under the threat of interruption of service. Justice does not exist where one of the parties to a bargain has the power to fix the terms of the bargain without the other party having any voice whatever in the matter.

Since the railroads have been placed under Government regulation and rates are established by a government tribunal, the question of wages is no longer one between the employe and the corporation. In the last analysis the public pays the bill. The public, therefore, has a right to a voice in saying what rate of wages shall be paid. Such is the purpose of the proposed anti-strike railroad bill. Under that measure a duly constituted and authorized government tribunal would take testimony and render a decision regarding railroad wages just as the Interstate Commerce Commission takes testimony and renders decisions regarding rates to be charged by railroad companies for transportation of passengers or freight. The anti-strike law would establish justice, as nearly as justice can be attained.

NO ECONOMY

During discussion of the Sundry Civil Bill recently, Representative Blanton, of Texas, a Democrat, asserted that although Congress has made efforts tof orce the dismissal of surplus and idle clerks in the Government service in the city of Washington, not a single clerk has y et gone home from Washington unless he voluntarily quit. He said that there have been some separations from some departments but immediately these clerks have been transferred to some other department and are still on the pay roll if they desire Government employment. Representative Blanton held up for the observation of his associates large circulars advertising the fact that examinations would be held for the appointment of additional clerks at the National Capital. This expose of Democratic extravagance came immediately after Representative Mondell the Republican floor leader, had told of the efforts of the Republicans to force the Administration to practice economy.

The police of several cities have been called on to look for a missing wife who is described as a 22-year-old bleached blonde with a Biblical text tattooed on her back. Here's a suggestion for fashionable society whose evening gowns cover so little space. Why not provide entertainment at evening functions by means of tattooed quotations from favorite authors on all those acres of vacant backs?

The French occupied Frankfort before the Germans repudiated their agreement and concentrated heavy [illegible] in the Ruhr district. The [illegible] have now marched out of [illegible] because the Germans have [illegible] miles on the Ruhr to [illegible] strength. The much [illegible] has accomplished its purpose.

[illegible] is made that liquor is [illegible] freely in [illegible] communities and that all you need is to "get on to the ropes" and you will be supplied with the stuff that has the "kick."

Remember your dead. W. S. Crook and Co. Monuments with Lawrence Frye Funeral Director. 208tf

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"Gets-It" Loosens Them So They Lift Off in A Jiffy.

The corn pains cease as soon as a few drops of "Gets-It" reach the corn. It goes out of the hurting business forever.

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Sold in Charleroi and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Frank P. John and Piper's Pharmacy, Carrolls Drug Store.

Authorship does not pay as well in cash as some writers would like their friends to believe. William Dean Howells had a wide vogue and great popularity for many years. He published seventy books and contributed continuously to magazines. But he left an estate valued at only $150,000.

It is safer for a distinguished citizen to escape the compliment of having babies named after him, as President Grover Cleveland would be pointedly reminded if he could now read the papers and behold the linking of his name with the Fergdoll draft dodger.

Lady-Slipper.

Three of the well-known varieties of the beautiful orchid found in the temperate zone are called the pink lady-slipper, the yellow moccasin flower, and the showy lady-slipper which is white with purplish pink or crimson stripes. These names have been given the flowers as they bear a curious resemblance to a slipper.

Pollen Carried Far by Wind.

Wind-blown pollen ("sulphur rain") is known to be carried far. Dissellman, of the Swedish experiment station, reports a quite extensive rain of tree pollen on two fire ships 20 and 37 miles from shore; and the pollen of algae is known to have been carried even as far as 200 miles.

Washington a Thorough Farmer.

Washington was a good farmer and always wanted to learn. As America had produced no books on agriculture at that early date, he was forced to try many experiments. The year when he was busy with the making of the federal Constitution he experimented with oats, his diary shows.

Palm Trees Live Long.

Brazilian cocoanut palms live from six hundred to seven hundred years, and the date palm from two hundred to three hundred years. On the Mount of Olives, Jerusalem, there are olive trees known to have been flourishing in 1050.

Regulating the Concrete Mixer.

The hour glass principle has been employed in an almost automatic concrete mixer in which the ingredients fall through three cone-shaped hoppers in succession and are kneaded together.

Strategy.

The director took the studio violinist to one side. "In the next scene," he whispered, "the star has got to register intense anguish. When that point comes play some old drinking song."—Film Fun.

East Indian's Discovery.

Experiments by an East Indian scientist have brought out the fact that plant life may be affected and perhaps regulated by the use of radio waves.

Fatal Effect.

"Yesterday afternoon he read his copy of the Eagle. Three hours later he died."—From an obituary in the Brooklyn Eagle.

Benefits Must Be Paid.

It is a law of the gods which is never broken, to sell somewhat dearly the great benefits which they confer on us.—Connellie

To Put Out Gasoline Fire.

While pure sawdust gives excellent results in putting out a small gasoline fire, a mixture of ten pounds of bicarbonate of soda with 12 pounds of clean sawdust is the best medium to have on hand, says Everyday Engineering. Have the sawdust dry and free from chips. The mixture forms a skylight blanket as it floats on the burning liquid and at the same time the heat of the flame generates carbonic acid gas. This gas, together with the sawdust, keeps the oxygen in the air away from the flame and quickly smothers it.

Tobacco Not Wasted Now.

In former times all tobacco confiscated by the English customs authorities was destroyed by burning in a furnace called the king's pipe. Nowadays all such tobacco as well as that which is returned as unfit for smoking, is sold to manufacturing chemists, who turn it into sheep dip, insecticides for the use of gardeners, and the like.

The Green Heron.

The green heron, which is sometimes called the fly-up-the-creek, is about one and one-half feet long, and is common throughout the United States and Canada. It feeds mostly on fish, frogs and other aquatic animals, and may be seen particularly in the morning and in the evening, standing patiently motionless in some shallow water, waiting till prey comes within reach.

Easy to Thread.

A Redditch needle maker has invented a new kind of needle which makes "threading" much more easy than with the orthodox type. His needle, instead of having a complete loop for its eye, has a tiny gap in the loop, into which the thread can be slipped instantly without the wearisome dodging that the present type requires.

The Whyfore of the Lakes.

Lakes are numerous in the northern part of this country and rare in the southern part because the gradual effects of atmospheric agencies and the power of water to carry solid matter from elevated places and deposit it in depressed places tend to reduce the land to a general level and to fill up the basins of the lakes.

Everything New.

Robert's father had just been married the second time. One afternoon Robert had a friend of his over to his new home. After he had shown the little boy all through the house he said: "Do you know, Clark, everything in this house is new, even my mother."

What Else Should She Do?

A curly-headed tot named Evelyn, three years old, was asked by her mother if she had been at the hair tonic bottle and she replied, "Yes, mother, I did use it—my dolly's hair is coming out in bunches. I had to do something to stop it."

Champion Almanac Hoarder.

A Philadelphia who has reached the age of one hundred and two years has accumulated the greatest collection of almanacs in the world. And yet they want to give us monkey glands to make us live longer.—Cartoon's Magazine.

Cutting Answer.

"Mr. Irwin," said the office clerk, "you broke a pair of scissors, and promised to buy a new pair to replace them. So far you haven't bought them." "Gosh," answered Mr. Irwin, "that's simply sheer carelessness."

Boast not of thyself tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth. Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger and not thine own lips.—Proverbs xxvii, 1.

Let Us Pursue It.

Let us not confine ourselves to barren words in recognition of virtue. While we see the right, and approve it, too, let us dare to pursue it.—Charles Sumner.

Her Collection of Husbands.

A woman who said she had had six husbands asked a London magistrate to grant her a separation. It is supposed that she is breaking up her collection.—Punch, London.

Alps and the Rockies.

The Swiss Alps are traversed by rail in five hours, but the magnificent scenery between Calgary and Vancouver lasts for 23 hours' rapid traveling.

For Nausea.

The slight nausea that often accompanies a attack of indigestion is relieved by taking a half teaspoonful of aromatic spirits of ammonia.

Getting a Hand.

Second-story men are in demand at dinners—providing their first stories make a hit.—Cartoons Magazine.

So Is the Price.

The power derived from a pound of coal today is nearly three times as great as it was 50 years ago.

LADIES NEED A HAIR TONIC

That they can depend upon to be a harmless, active, antiseptic dandruff remover and hair invigorator. That is why they are turning to the time tried and proven perroleum of which CRUDOLEUM is a quality tested higher grade; fully worthy of the trust and confidence thepublic of today is placing in it. An Actual test by you will bear out everything we claim for it, or F. J. John will return to you the purchase price.

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Ask F. J. John at once for a bottle of CRUDOLEUM. It only costs 35c. If your druggist can not supply you, send 40c to the Wm. M. Simpson Drug Co., Wholesale Druggists, Wilkinsburg Station, Pittsburg, Pa.

Divorce Notice

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Alexander Slosky vs. Mary Slosky subpoena subpoena in libel for divorce. No. 151 February Term 1920.

Notice To Respondent

To Mary Slosky, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Wasington, to be and appear in the said Court on the third Monday of August next, being the 16th day of the month to answer the petition of libel preferred by the libellant, Alexander Slosky your husband and show cause if any you have, why the said Alexander Slosky should not be divorced from the bonds of marrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted n your absence.

Alexander B. Gray,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:
May 26th. 1920.
Erwin Cummins, Atty.
M 28-J-4-11-18

Richard P. Hobson says the only way for the British and French to save themselves from extinction is to get on the water wagon with Americans. If the Armenians accept this view, they may be pardoned for being sorry that the Turks elected to get on the same wagon centuries ago.

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Boneless Rib Roast, per lb.	30c
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Pork Loin Roast per lb	29c
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ALL VEAL GUARANTEED HOME DRESSED—

Veal Breast per lb	22c
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Veal Cutlets per lb	42c
Veal Roast, boneless per lb	32c
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Smart new Sun-Rane Umberllas of Silk Taffeta, in navy, purple, green and black, with ebony handles and ferrule; finished silk cord loops or rings $7.98.

Use the Classified Column

B&B
Ready to go to Pittsburgh Monday?
Boggs & Buhl's
51ST ANNIVERSARY SALE
WILL BE THE FEATURE OF PITTSBURG NEXT WEEK AND THE SALE OF ALL SALES IN YEARS—OR PERHAPS IN THE HISTORY OF THE CITY
FIRST DAYS WILL BE BEST—COME MONDAY IF POSSIBLE BUT COME SOME DAY OF THE WEEK AT ANY RATE.
Boggs & Buhl
PITTSBURGH PA.

FEW HORSE-DRAWN VEHICLES

Carriage and Wagon Builders Have About Given Up That Branch of of the Business.

The members of a firm formerly prominent in selling horse-drawn vehicles on the Pacific coast give some interesting figures showing how the carriage and wagon builders have lost business, due to the inroads of the automobile industry in the transportation field.

It seems that there were 14,000 buggies sold in Los Angeles county alone in 1896, and 6,500 wagons. Two years later the first motorcar appeared and business thereafter declined steadily. It is doubtful if 100 buggies a year are sold now in California. Salesmen working in rural districts used to sell an average of two buggies a day and more sets of harness. One prominent wagon builder sold $8,000,000 worth of horse-drawn vehicles in 1896. In 1905 they stopped manufacturing them and concentrated their production facilities on motorcars, which they had gradually developed as their wagon trade decreased.

Not all firms were so far-sighted or fortunate, however, and many factories that formerly manufactured thousands of horse-drawn vehicles but a memory. Most wagon builders of progressive mind installed motorcar departments and are now reaping a harvest as manufacturers of special truck and van bodies to be attached to standard motorcar truck chassis, work for which their mechanical equipment, working forces and experience are particularly well adapted.

MOTOR FUEL SUPPLY SHORT

Gasoline Cannot Be Relied On to Fill Demand—Alcohol the Coming Power.

Mineral oils vary very much in their makeup. Those of Mexico are particularly rich in the heavier ingredients, and are therefore excellently adapted for use as fuel. The lighter oils yield more kerosene and gasoline.

The prospect of gasoline supply offers some reason for anxiety. It has been increased enormously within the last ten years, but the growth of the output has been only one-third as great as the growth of the automobile industry. There are now 7,500,000 automobiles in the United States; by the end of the present year there will be 9,000,000.

Nothing is more certain than that the supply of gasoline will not keep pace with the increasing demand. We shall have to look to coal far as a source of motor fuel. Already "benzol," a by-product of the distillation of bituminous coal, is being used for this purpose in considerable quantities. Another fuel available (if carburetors and cylinders are redesigned) is alcohol, which can be obtained in unlimited quantities from molasses, unmarketable potatoes, and all sorts of vegetable wastes.

Watching Life of Plants.

From fuller information now at hand in regard to the machine by aid of which the Indian scientist, Sir J. C. Bose, has been making visible in London the ingrowth of plants, shows that he does much more than make visible what everybody already knew—that plants increase in size. He also has revealed that the growth of a plant is by no means steady or continuous—that it is affected by many of the influences besides mere nutriment that affect the growth of animals. In short, this machine, which is called a crescograph and magnifies movement a million times, proves that plants are much more alive than it is customary to credit them with being, and it is not an altogether fanciful notion that when the facts in relation to plant life become better known, something of consideration for their "feelings" and something of compunction about treating them cruelly may develop.

Pharmacy Popular.

Pharmacy is a popular pursuit among the women of South America, according to a Y. W. C. A. leader in that country, because it is a protected profession and is considered womanly. South American girls have not gone into public life and into the business world and the trades as North American girls have and still consider, as a rule, only the so-called protected lines of work. They teach and sew and a few have become typists and stenographers, but most women who take up any profession train for nursing, medicine or pharmacy. Chemistry is also a popular study.

Rather Embarrassing.

We had just moved into a new house. I was dressing when the bell rang, and mother went to the door. Sure enough it was the young man I was trying to avoid. But instead of saying I was not at home, mother said: "Oh, let me show you our new house." Everything was lovely until approaching the closet, where I was crouched down on my knees, half dressed, mother said: "This is where we keep all our old junk and rubbish:" and opened the door.

I shall never forget how embarrassed I was.—Exchange.

To Break Him of the Habit.

"John," said her husband's wife, "I don't believe you have smoked one of those lovely cigars I gave you at Christmas."

"No, my dear, I haven't," replied his wife's husband. "As a matter of fact, I intend to keep them until our little Willie grows up and wants to learn to smoke."

UNITED GENIUS AND BEAUTY

Many of America's Great Men Have Proved That the Two Can Exist Together.

While Socrates had the mind of a god and the form of a satyr, all history from that day on have said that beauty and genius do not go together, such is not the case in American history, according to Charles E. Corwin, writing in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. With few striking exceptions good looking, well proportioned men have achieved fame. Washington was a handsome man, and Gen. Winfield Scott was considered fine looking. Gen. Lee of Civil war fame, was attractive in form and feature. Daniel Webster, Edward Everett, Horace Greeley and Franklin were handsome types of their periods.

The writer declares there has been a distinct change in the type of the American countenance. In colonial days the typical face was full, rosy and reposeful. Today the average countenance is somewhat sharp, pallid and expressive of energy. Roosevelt had the sharpness of present-day features. President Wilson's chin radiates determination, and Bryan's smile is unique of its kind, but the features are like the present day type.

Among men of letters James Fenimore Cooper bore the palm for beauty. He was large and finely proportioned. His features were of leonine cast, and his clear, gray eyes were radiant with power. Washington Irving was a handsome man, as was also N. P. Willis.

NEW LINES SEEN ON MOON

British Astronomer Makes Public Recent Observations of Great Interest to Scientists.

A paper by T. L. MacDonald, read before the British Astronomical association, discusses the appearance of a bright border along the dark limb of the young moon. According to Mr. MacDonald this luminosity, which is not visible in all lunations, has a more or less linelike appearance, and is decidedly brighter than the ordinary earthshine, which always illuminates the darker part of the young moon. The bright border varies in length, not always extending as far as the horns of the lunar crescent, and certain nearly circular swellings of intensified brightness have been noted. In general the border is most sharply defined when the moon is 2½ days old, and it begins to become diffuse the third day of the lunation. By the seventh day it is barely distinguishable. Commenting on these observations, Mr. Harold Thomson stated that he had observed the bright border with the naked eye, but it disappeared in the telescope.—Scientific American.

New York and Other Seaports.

As a result of the great war the population of France has decreased 7 per cent, but the population of some of the large cities of France has made a large increase. Lyons, Bordeaux and Marseilles are of special interest to American investors, who have paid many millions of dollars in purchasing bonds issued by these cities. Their gain in population has ranged from 15 to 36 per cent, the largest being that of Marseilles, and it is perhaps significant that Marseilles is the principal port of France on the Mediterranean, remarks the Boston Commercial Bulletin.

As the great seaport of America, New York has made enormous growth in recent years and the population has become so great that not only is New York the largest city in the world but English newspapers now admit that New York has nearly a million more inhabitants than London, which has been for over a century the world's greatest city.

Rare Plants in Demand.

In 1803 a scientific man named Drummond discovered one solitary aronia plant in the woods of St. Tammany parish in Louisiana, and it is cherished today at the Arnold arboretum. Now Harvard has written to New Orleans asking to have Louisiana searched again for the rare growth, and the New Orleans Garden society has offered a prize of $5 for the discovery of another aronia plant. Harvard also wants Louisiana searched for a certain variety of ash, discovered near New Orleans about a century ago and never seen before or since.

United States Forests.

About one-fourth of the United States, or 550,000,000 acres, is in forests. Forests publicly owned contain about one-fifth of all the timber standing. The remaining four-fifths is privately owned. The original forests of the country covered an area of 850,000,000 acres, and contained a greater quantity and variety of timber than on any area of similar size in the world. The present rate of cutting for all purposes exceeds the annual growth of the forests.

His Version.

The seventh grade children were discussing the ways to bring down the cost of clothing. The teacher had told them about Irvin Cobb's desire to have trousers abbreviated into knickerbockers or "pants" as Irvin termed it. They all agreed that this would certainly be a saving of material and then little Jacob suggested a further abbreviation. "You might leave out of them most of the pockets," he said. "There ain't nothing to carry in them now since the country's gone dry."—Indianapolis News.

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HEARSE WAS GIVEN OVER TO FLAMES

That the days of the horse-drawn hearse are a thing of the past, at least in this section of thevalley, was shown on Thursday. when M. T. Crowley, the local undertaker, took one of his old vehicles which he has owned for several years, and sacrificed it as a burnt offering because of its uselessness. Mr. Crowley had owned the hearse for a number of years and used it up until a few years ago, when modern methods in funeral direction caused him to buy an auto hearse. Since that time the old vehicle has been taking up space in his garage. and of no benefit to him in his business. On Friday he dismantled the hearse of its plate glass and then took the "remains" to the dump at the garbage furnace, where after saturating it with gasoline. he fired the funeral wagon and in a short time t was amass of ruins. The hearse represented a total outlay of about $1,600 to Mr. Crowley, but it had served its day and had to give way to more modern vehicles.

GIVE ORDERS FOR GREATER CAR SUPPLY

Coal operators of the Pittsburg district on Thursday. received notice of the orders issued by Chairman Kendal, of the commission on car service. to the railroads to increase the car supply for coal shipment. Under the new orders the railroads must distribute tocoal handlers all cars available for shipment of the commodity on a basis of 50 per cent of the actual requirements before coal cars are diverted into other channels of industry. Coal cars must not be used for carrying automobiles or other commodities which can be transported in box cars or other types of equipment.

Last week the supply of cars was 37 per cent of the needs of the coal men, a small increase over previous conditions, but the order just issued indicates that the coal operators were correct in their stand that other industries were receiving acar supply at the expense of thecoal business.

LITERARY CONTEST IN MONESSEN HIGH SCHOOL

Prof. C. C. Lively, principal of the High school, was one of the judges in the literary contest held in the Monessen High school last night between the Tennysonian and Shakesperean literary societies. The other judges were Prof. R. G. Dean, superintendent of the Monongahela schools. and Attorney Nevin of Elizabeth. The Tennysonians won the contest by 7 points to their opponents 5.

Another "silent millionaire" has been brought to light by the death of Joseph R. DeLamar of New York. It seems that nobody had reason to accuse him of possessing a fortune of $2,000,000.

Monessen is arranging for a Fourth of July celebration and the Board of Trade under whose auspices the demonstration will begiven is now arranging the program.

CARE OF PLANTS IN HOME

Methods to Be Followed If One Would Keep Them Always Looking Their Best.

The housewife need have no more withered house plants, if she will exercise a moderate amount of judgment in their care.

The best plan to follow in watering a plant is to wait until the surface is dry to the depth of half an inch. Then pour water over it. until it reaches the saucer. Do not water again until the surface is dry.

To keep ferns fresh and growing, set the fern dish in a pan of water coming about half an inch above the top of the dish. The plants should be kept in the water for about twenty minutes every other day. Sprinkle the foliage profusely with tepid water and drain thoroughly.

A remedy for the plant louse and the red spider is a tablespoonful of extract of nicotine added to a gallon of water. The aphis and mealie bug are destroyed by dipping the foliage in strong soap suds. Fir-tree oil is the best remedy for scale, which attacks such smooth-leaved plants as

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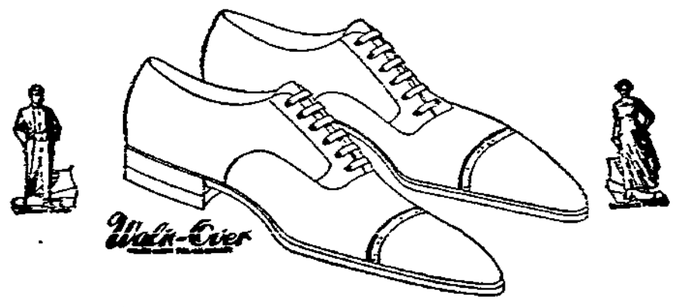

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VILLAGE OVERRUN BY DOGS

Housewives of Silver Lake, New York, Had to Guard Kitchens From the Hungry Animals.

The hamlet of Silver Lake, on the outskirts of White Plains, N. Y., is all "Let" up because of the large number of dogs that have migrated to that section, according to the New York Evening Sun. In the daytime they forage through the town and at night they make sleep impossible by their barking.

Silver Lake has a population of about 500 persons, and it is said that there are 141 dogs, one lap poodle and half a dozen hounds by actual count.

A staid old resident says that there is every kind of a dog imaginable in Silver Lake—small ones, big ones, short ones, long ones, dogs with no tail and one eye, lean ones and fat ones, but mostly lean ones.

This great influx of dogs to Silver Lake has created many nuisances. In fact, the housewives don't dare leave their kitchen doors unlocked or half a dozen hungry mutts will be roaming around trying to find something to eat. The story is told of how one woman baked a raisin pie for supper for her husband. She left it on the kitchen table to cool while she went about her household duties. A little later she heard a great commotion, and when she went to the kitchen she found half a dozen hungry canines, big and little, fighting for the last raisin of her pie. She struck them with a broom, but that did not do any good, because they had her pie.

ENGLISH TERMS ARE ADOPTED

French Take Kindly to a Number of Expressions That They Learned During the War.

We all know what an army of French words has billeted itself permanently upon the English language. Not so many of us think of the interchange of prisoners so to speak, between French and English, of the numerous English words naturalized in France. In sport, of course, this English contingent was to be expected. "Champion," "ring," "knockout," "coming man," "singles," "football," "touring club," "skating rink."—long is the list of such English words in French. Even the French labor dialect has suffered some English infusions—"trade union," "lockout," "leaders." There is even the lovely verb "lockouter." "Whisky" and "pale ale" and other exported names of sin must mostly remain unmentionable here.

The war has introduced "boy scouts," hardly to be recognized in its French pronunciation, "scouts." "Tanks" and "nurses" are familiar words in contemporary French. At a theater or railroad office you are almost as likely to get a "ticket" as a "billet." "On the golf links," wrote an English collector of French Anglicisms last year, "one may hear 'J'ai droppe une balle,' instead of the clumsy 'laisse tomber.'" "Lavatory" has suffered a sea change. In Paris it means a barber shop where you can get a shampoo.

Get Busy!

Real development lies in arousing the potential worth that has been lying dormant in your character. The first step is in starting something that will challenge the whole being to activity. Many a man does not feel equal to the tasks of the day. But circumstances are such that he has to make the start. The first few strokes of the pencil may not mean much but the fact that he starts something arouses him to keener thinking, and before long he may be doing his best work. And each idea begets another until the fellow is aroused to full capacity. Yes, and there are occasions when the very stress of necessity makes a man rise to the superman that lies within each of God's creatures waiting the challenge worthy of it.—Grit.

In a recent lecture Sir Oliver Lodge, the eminent English scientist who is now visiting America, announced that the earth would probably continue to exist for 20,000,000 years more. These are, of course, round numbers. Some scientists estimate that the earth will live for ten times this age. There have been animals of one kind and another on this planet for fully this length of time. The dinosaurs are believed to have lived through some such period. The age of man, which is probably only a few thousand years, seems the merest trifle by comparison. When we consider how man has developed during recorded history, which is less than ten thousand years, we may hope that he will evolve to an infinitely finer type in the future.—Boys' Life.

Keeping Warm With Games.

Games were never so popular as now in country houses, and the reason is not far to seek. Living rooms are not heated, as they were in the good old times, and guests, young and old, vote for games because they are warming. There isn't a better game of ball than "fives," known in the days of Queen Elizabeth and declared by her to be "the best sport she had ever seen."—The Gentlewoman.

Coal in Mexico.

The only state in Mexico producing coal is Coahuila. Normal production is about 900,000 tons a year, but at present only about half that quantity is obtained and none is exported. The shortage is supplied from the United States. Coal is not needed for heating purposes and charcoal is used for cooking.

MERELY SUMMER

Elderly Lady Rejects With Scorn the Idea That She Is in the Autumn of Life.

She is a little old grandmother—exactly seventy-four years old. And quite a busy little creature she is, knitting stockings for this niece, a sweater for this grandson and tatting lace for her newest great grandchild. Her daughter with whom she lives, the other day remonstrated with her for working so hard. "You don't have to work so hard now, mother," she said. "You've worked all through your summer of life and now at autumn you surely should have a rest."

"I'm not having an actual autumn of rest and decay," the old woman indignantly protested. "My life is too beautiful and too fruitful to label it that way. It's an Indian summer. When I was younger I used to watch old people having autumns when they fretted everybody and were miserable themselves. It worried me because I knew that some day I would be old, and I didn't want to make anyone, not even myself, miserable. And one autumn I enjoyed Indian summer so much that I decided to have an Indian summer in my life. And," half indignantly, "I don't intend to have you or any other person throwing frost on it to ruin it, either."—Indianapolis News.

FOUND THAT NEATNESS PAYS

Indianapolis Youths Possibly Only Needed Good Example, Though the Pennies May Have Helped.

Somebody inserted an old saw to the effect that "bad news travels fast." In the vicinity of the Weidely Motors company's plant good news did the same thing.

One day a dirty-faced urchin of the neighborhood asked Bill Umphrey of the Weidely company for a penny.

"Wash your face and hands and I'll come through," Billy told the kid.

When Mr. Umphrey emerged from his office at noon the youngster was there, his face and hands glowing like a 100-candle power lamp. He got the penny.

An hour later, when Mr. Umphrey returned, there was a lineup as long as that for the "Follies." A regiment of clean hands was outstretched for coins of the realm. The generous Billy came through again.

He started something. Now the kids have begun work on George Weidely and Truman Rapp. The result is that Irish Hill youthful countenances and hands beam like a circus billboard.—Indianapolis News.

Ibanez's Contribution to Poe Memorial

When Senor Blasco Ibanez said that the Bronx should erect a memorial to Edgar Allan Poe—and threw down $100 to show that he means business—he acted like a poet. Though Poe pried into a number of nooks and crannies of European literature, he seems never to have interested himself in Spain or Spanish. His "Oval Portrait" is located in "one of those piles of commingled gloom and grandeur" which have so long been associated with Spanish architectures, and that is about the extent of his debt to the land of our guest. But poets do not look for reasons; they are content with opportunities. Seeing that we had no adequate Poe memorial, he seized upon the chance to make a good suggestion. Possibly, also, Poe's "Four Beasts in One" prompted generous thoughts in the author of "The Four Horsemen."—New York Evening Post.

A Disturber.

It was a scrubby little room, in a scrubby little part of a scrubby little city's scrubbiest, and the London traveler didn't approve at all.

When he went to wash he found that there was no water for the basin, no soap to wash with, and no towel to dry himself with.

So he rang.

Five minutes interim bringing no answer, he rang again and then again and again, until his arm ached. At the end of 20 minutes a waiter of forbidding aspect opened the door.

"Did you ring?" he inquired in a bass, rumbling voice.

"Of course I did!" snapped the London visitor.

"Well," said the waiter as he withdrew, "don't do it again! You'll wake the missis!"—London Tit-Bits.

A Jeffersonville merchant has recently placed an automatic weighing machine in front of his store. A few days ago a citizen was observed standing on the machine and closely scrutinizing the dial. His hat was in his hand, although the thermometer marked a low temperature, and a passerby asked him why he had his hat off. "I want to see what I weigh without my outdoor garments," said the citizen blandly. His interlocutor walked away, muttering: "He wouldn't weigh much less if he took his head off as well."—Indianapolis News.

Tomato Juice for Babies.

Dr. Alfred F. Hess of New York says that canned tomatoes are good for babies. Orange juice is commonly given to them, for they need something of this sort to prevent such diseases as scurvy, and Dr. Hess has found that canned tomatoes serve the same purpose. He told the State Medical society that he gives about an ounce a day to infants that have passed their first month, especially to those whose mothers are not nursing them.

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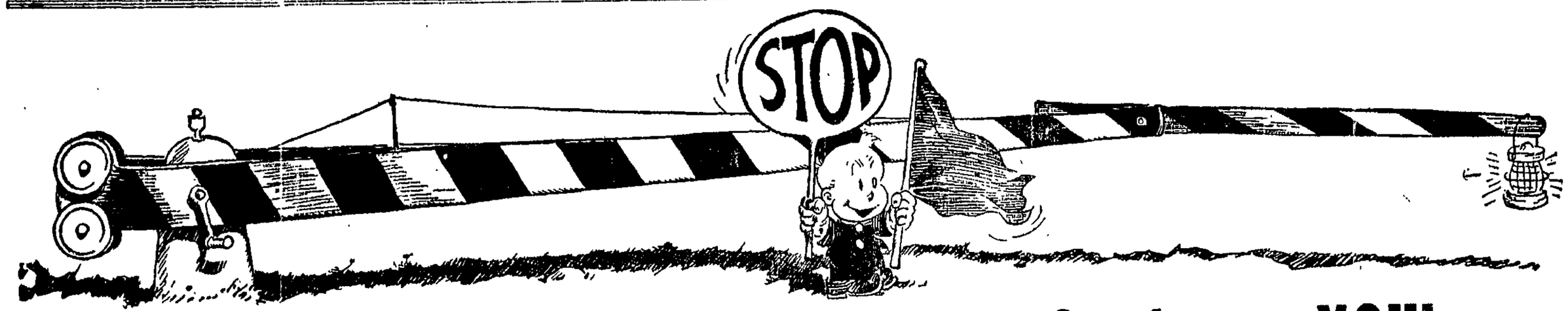

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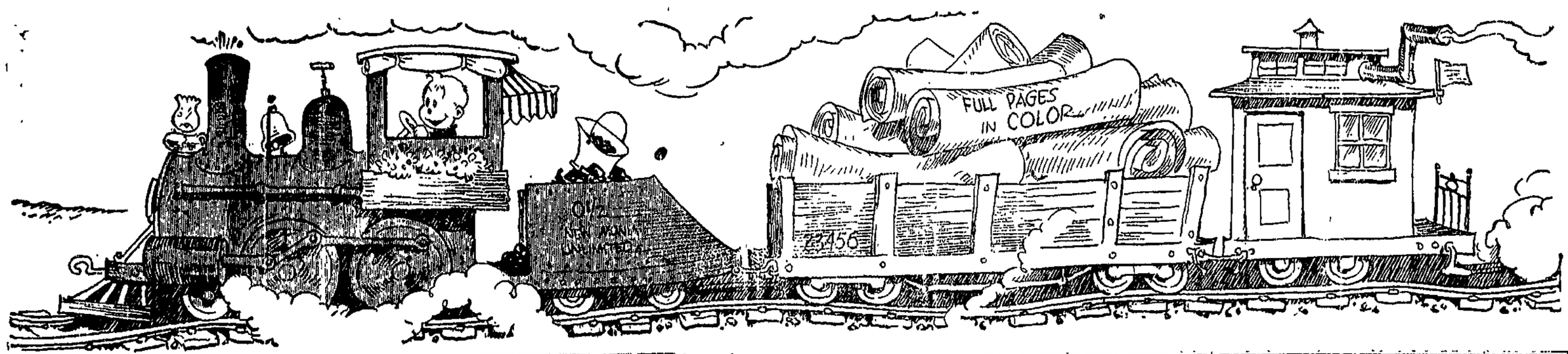

Those Blundering Authors!

We referred recently to one of John Galsworthy's American characters calling for "A flash of beer," now here's another writer, Arthur J. Rees, saying, "He is, to use an American colloquialism, 'quick on the uptake.'" Tut! This, as Barrie lovers know, is Scotch.—Boston Transcript.

Prize Mixer.

"A good mixer, isn't he?" "You betcha!" replied a citizen of Grudge. "He can tell more funny stories, borrow more money, pay less of it back, get more signers to petitions, be elected to more lodge offices and do less honest work than any other three men in town."—Judge.

Her Last Social Function.

My small son on coming home from school one noon said to me: "Mother, I'm going over to Buddy's home this afternoon." On my asking what he was going for he replied: "Why, don't you know his grandma is having her funeral this afternoon?"—Chicago Tribune.

As Juanita and Charles were eating breakfast one morning they both asked at the same moment for the second helping. Having taught Charles that his sister must be waited on first, he said, "Well, ladies first and mums next."

Traveling Fingers.

Typists' fingers are the most amazing travelers in creation, and are capable of going tremendous distances without the fatigue that would come to the feet and legs in performing a similar journey. In ordinary typewriting the hand may travel, according to an expert, 10,000 miles a year and not indicate any impairment in efficiency. This refers, of course, to the average typist in an office.

Make It Brief.

If may not be of much interest to you, Mr. Visitor, but the fellow who tells you how you feel today doesn't want to listen to a lot of symptoms. Remember that.—From (Hot Springs) Arkansaw Thomas Cat.

Uncle Eben.

"Some men does hate to give anybody credit foh anything," said Uncle Eben. "Dey can't throw a bouquet at' out mostly stickers."

As Usual.

"Will you have another cup of coffee?" the landlady asked the boarder. He shook his head. "The spirit is willing, but the coffee is weak."

Daily Thought.

Every man is like the company he's wont to keep.—Euripides.

Ancient Grape Sirup.

That the making of grape sirup is not a new thing is shown by the writings of ancient historians. Galen, the Greek physician and writer, who lived in the second century after Christ, says that a "good many Asiatic wines were stored in bottles which were hung in the corner of fireplaces, where by evaporation they became dry. The process was called fumation." The Greeks had two kinds of wine "sprinkled," or first juice of the grape before pressing, and "deuterion," or pressed juice. The Romans called them "vinum primarium" and "vinum secundarium." The juice before fermentation had started was called "mustum." After this must, or juice had been through a heating process, it was known as "fructum," and when after long heating it was reduced to one-half or one-third its original volume it was called "sapa." This was equivalent to sirups often used by the Romans on their bread.

Greenhorn From the Hub.

A Boston man who was passing the night at a hotel in a southern town told the colored porter he wanted to be called early in the morning. The porter replied: "Say, boss, Ah reckon yo' ain't familiar with these heah modern inventions. When yo' wants to be called in de mawnin' all yo' has to do is jest to press de button at de head of yo' bed, an' we comes up an' calls you."—Boston Transcript.

Temperature of Leaves.

Some recent investigation of the temperature of leaves made in the deserts and mountains of Arizona and in the Santa Lucia mountains of California have resulted in the discovery that leaves show a very rapid change of temperature at times. These fluctuations are almost constantly going on. Changes of from 1 to 3 degrees centigrade were observed in from twenty to sixty seconds, and if a moderately strong wind is blowing the change may amount to 5 degrees in thirty seconds.

Magazine Gun Teeth.

The elephant has what a dentist calls "magazine gun teeth" because of the curious fact that when the big pachyderm wears off a front tooth it is replaced by the one just behind it, the whole row moving up a tooth. It is said this takes place continually, so Jumbo always is examined a set of teeth, no matter how many he wears out.

Effects of a Meat Diet.

The wheat-eating Carthaginians were no match for the pork-eating Romans; the meat-eating Greeks easily overcame the herbivorous Persians, while the beef- and mutton-eating England have often proved to be too much for the British soldiers than the South- and Irish, to whom meat was long a luxury.

To Clean Brass Castings.

Brass castings may be cleaned in a moment by dipping them into a solution of three parts sulphuric acid to three parts of nitric acid, to which cells as smoke recorders in chimneys. A selenium cell is mounted on one side of a chimney or flue; on the opposite side is fixed a lamp. The amount of light falling upon the selenium and hence the resistance of the cell will depend upon the density of the smoke in the flue; the fire can, therefore, be controlled by the pyrometer records.

Endurance Test.

Two brothers, seven and nine, were quarreling daily, and it seemed that the little one always commenced the fuss, and always got the worst of it and then cried over it. When asked why he started things when he knew he would get hurt, the little fellow replied: "Well, I made up my mind a long time ago that some day I was going to be big enough to whip brother, and how am I going to know when I am if I don't try it every day to see?"

Few Finnish Tenant Farmers.

The farms of Finland are small, though there are many large estates. These have been expropriated by the state, the bill providing that the original owners should be remunerated according to a fixed pre-war valuation. The bill also provides for financing the purchase of these lands by its former tenants and renters. It is estimated that 99.2 per cent of Finnish farms are owned outright by the farmers.

Norway Must Import Sweetstuffs.

Norway produces no sugar within its own borders and the sweet sirups produced from vegetable sources are of slight importance, so that country is in a position of almost absolute dependence on imports for its sweetening materials.

Optimistic Thought.

Spread the table and contention will cease.

Wise Men Say:

Wise men say that if we could see ourselves as others see us, we wouldn't believe it.—Tit-Bits.

MODELED ON HUMAN FRAME

Efficiency Experts Have Taken That as Copy for the Rules They Advocate.

The human frame is 100 per cent efficient, according to the latest dictum of efficiency experts promulgated before the American Society of Industrial Engineers in Philadelphia, says the New York Evening Sun. Some of the laity have been suspecting that for years, but the promoters of new methods of top speed plant production are so sure of it now that they are modeling organization plans with physiology as their adviser.

Most of the layouts prepared for the industrial organizations look formidable to the average man. What with their pedant brackets and confusing curves the structure of a thousand man plants gives pause even to the modern executive.

It is shown that the schemes which have worked the best are after all as old as the human race, for they are simply arrangements such as may be seen in every man's makeup.

The brain, for instance, as explained by C. E. Knoeppel, who has the chair of factory management at New York university, in his address to his fellow industrial experts, is the same as the executive head or the director of a plant or corporation. The five senses which keep mankind in his bearings correspond to the control of the factory, that is to superintendents and foremen.

The medulla oblongata corresponds to labor, and the small brain or cerebellum which looks after the automatic functions of the body and keeps the arms and legs and trunk active, is translated in terms of production. The relations of the chart for the manufactory and those of the perfectly interacting machinery of the heart and brain and muscles are regarded as virtually the same.

FORGOT HER AWFUL MAKEUP'

Indianapolis Girl Will Have to Do Much Explaining if Many Acquaintances Saw Her.

A senior of Technical high school who prides herself on her contempt for rouge and lip sticks went to the photographer's. Several class mates helped themselves to a liberal supply of "paint" just before posing, thinking the pictures would be better. Finally, they persuaded the senior to try it just for the one time. No one would ever be the wiser. Hesitatingly, she applied the crimson puff and the oily crimson stick and dashed into the studio for the final pose.

Half an hour later she was on the car speeding homeward when she happened to glance at the woman across the aisle. That woman's complexion, she thought was past forgiveness. How could some people bear to use that stuff and continue to appear in public! Well, one thing was certain—nobody would ever see her rivaling an October sunset. Then, horrors! She remembered she had forgot to wash off her own "make-up."—Indianapolis News.

High Speed Steel Without Tungsten.

A new high speed steel of British origin is without tungsten in its composition and advantages of both a practical and economical nature are claimed. It is cobalt-molybdenum steel, the cobalt apparently acting as a stabilizer and as correcting certain disadavantages said to exist in molybdenum-tungsten steels. The new steel is claimed to possess the highest point of efficiency ever obtained. The hardening temperature required is only in the neighborhood of 2,000 degrees Fahrenheit. The steel is also reported to machine exceptionally soft and easily. The specific gravity of como steel is reported to be equal to that of the old carbon tool steel, and so 10 per cent less than that of the tungsten high-speed steels. As a result it is estimated that a given weight of como steel will produce 10 per cent more tools than the same weight of regular high-speed steel.

Again and again during the war it was insisted by all manner of authorities in England that one of the great efforts of the future should be in the direction of encouraging industrial research. This was, in fact, a war lesson, and Great Britain evidently has no intention of losing it. Already a government department of "scientific and industrial research" has been established; while, according to the chairman at a recent meeting of the Institution of Electric Engineers, "universities all over the country, led by University college, London, are re-equipping their training departments."

The Fickle Men.

The two girls were talking, and one was deploring a recent experience. "He promised to teach me to drive his car," she said, "and I wanted to do it in fine style, so I went uptown and bought me a very fancy pair of gauntlet gloves."

The other nodded sympathy. The first continued: "And then what do you think happened? Why the fickle thing got mad and got him a new girl before I had even got those driving gloves paid for."

Simple Operation.

Douglas, three and a half years old, returned from the barber shop with his hair nicely bobbed. His mother overhead him say to an admiring playmate: "Why, the barber man did it just as easy—he just ran the 'lectric iron over my head."

Sea Serpents Really Exist.

Although many of us may have an idea that sea serpents exist nowhere but in fiction, that is not the case, and of all snakes they are the most venomous. In tropical waters they are vastly numerous, especially in the Indian ocean, where they are often seen literally by hundreds swimming at the surface of the water. They are six to eight feet long, very fierce and will commonly attack human beings. Their bodies are flat and almost wholly filled by the lungs.

Wrap All Tools.

All good tools should be wrapped up, otherwise they will rust, and rust dulls their cutting edges. The careful carpenter wraps his tools in a woolen cloth well oiled. The careful chauffeur wraps all polished tools before putting them in the tool box and keeps them away from the storage battery, the fumes of which will quickly rust them.

Food Values of Potatoes.

That potatoes differ widely in food value is shown by a report of the government's scientific committee. It is laid down that the most useful potato for food is one which contains the largest amount of dry matter. Where two varieties are practically equal in this respect, the nitrogen they contain enters into the estimation of their feeding quality.

Resignation Benefits.

True resignation, which always brings with it confidence that unchangeable goodness will make even the disappointment of our hopes and the contradictions of life conducive to some benefit, casts a grave but tranquil light over the prospect of even a toilsome and troubled life.—Humboldt.

New Cold Compress.

A new kind of cold compress for a sore throat is made with a thin piece of gauze or an old handkerchief about 2 inches wide. Over that one layer of absorbent cotton is laid and a strip of cold wet cloth is placed inside. This is pinned together carefully with tiny safety pins.

Beautiful Belief.

We are born to a higher destiny than that of earth. There is a realm where the rainbow never fades, where the stars will spread before us like islands that slumber on the ocean, and where the beings that pass before us like shadows will stay in our presence forever.—Bulwer Lytton.

Fingers With Only One Joint.

Dr. C. F. Oddie reports to the archives of radiology and electrotherapy (London) the case of a boy of fourteen whose fingers have only one joint. His mother had similar hands, as have four of her nine children, the fingers of the five others being normal.

Read Meaning of Word "Bible."

Almost any child that has attended a religious school knows that the word Bible means book, but it really means "books," as the collection bound within one volume is a library of books written during more than 20 centuries.

Days of Gluttony.

Seventy-five years ago it was not unusual for a formal English breakfast to last two hours, while a dinner might start at 8:30 o'clock and be protracted till midnight. And the courses were as many and substantial as the meals were lengthy.

Promises of Spring.

It is not the variegated colors, the cheerful sounds, and the warm breezes which enliven us so much in spring; it is the quiet, prophetic spirit of endless hope, a presentiment of many happy days.—Margaret Opitz.

Character in Jewish Folklore.

"Lilith" is a female demon of Jewish folklore. The name means "night monster." In Rabbinical literature Lilith becomes the wife of Adam, but flies away from him and becomes a demon.

Selfmade and Homemade.

Our observation is that most girls would rather go out with a self-made man than a home-made hat.—Dallas News.

Helpfulness Its Own Reward.

Never let yourself worry as to whether those you help will be sufficiently grateful. Think of helpfulness as its own great reward.

Daily Thought.

Not what has happened to myself today, but what has happened to others through me—that should be my thought.

Fishing Bed 600 Miles Long.

The famous fishing grounds of Newfoundland, the Grand banks, are 600 miles long and about 200 wide, with a bottom of shifting sand.

Guidance That Must Be Heeded.

Men are inexcusable if they do not pursue that which their judgment tells them is the most laudable.—Joseph Addison.

Lawsuit That Lasted 400 Years.

The longest lawsuit on record lasted over 400 years. It was a dispute about some land in Poland, the people interested being the Sobieskis of Orolowo and the Sobieskis of Podlowo. It began in the year 1420, and a settlement was arrived at in 1820, the land being then divided among the then representatives of the original litigants.

Easily Detected.

A lunatic who recently escaped from an asylum was eventually recaptured in a large dancing hall in the west end. The fact that he was waltzing divinely and keeping perfect time with the music aroused the other dancers' suspicions and led to his recapture.—Punch, London.

Nature's Stern Law.

Achievement of whatever kind is the crown of effort, the diadem of thought. By the aid of self control, resolution, purity, righteousness, and well directed thought a man ascends; by the aid of animality, indolence, impurity, corruption, and confusion of thought a man descends.—Allen.

When Harvard Ran a Lottery.

Does it make you shudder to recall that in 1772 Harvard college, instead of asking for subscriptions from the alumni for a fund, raised £3200 by lottery "for building another hall for the students of Harvard college to dwell in"?—Boston Globe.

Turkish Superstition.

Upon the graves of the dead in the Turkish cemeteries little vessels of water are placed for the benefit of the birds, the superstition being that birds carry messages about the living to the dead.

Law of Nature.

"You may accept this as a true story," remarked the man on the car, "the fellow who spends much of his time knocking the town doesn't erect any of its tall buildings."—Toledo Blade.

War and Peace.

The difference between war and peace is, in war a people are united against a common enemy; in peace, each man has blood in his eye and hits anybody within reach.—Houston Post.

Avoid Affectation.

Affectation is an awkward and forced imitation of what should be genuine and easy, wanting the beauty that accompanies what is natural.—Locke.

Strange If True.

The olive oil product of Spain varies greatly from year to year and there is a notion among the growers that the yield is always greater in the even numbered years.

Misunderstood.

Waiter — "Haven't you forgotten something, sir?" Customer—"Great Scott, yes! My wife told me to water the plants while she was away!"

Importance of Good Health.

Good health of itself, to be sure, does not sum up the whole secret of personality. But it is a most important element, as you will presently appreciate when you adopt rules of living that result in a distinct bettering of your health. You will begin to feel more self-confident. You will attack business problems more masterfully. You will find it far easier to sway others by your personal influence.—H. Addington Bruce, in Chicago News.

Meaning of "Selah."

The word Selah, which occurs so frequently in the Psalms, is usually believed to be a direction to the musicians who chanted the Psalms in the temple. Mattheson, the great musical critic, wrote a book on the subject, in which, after rejecting a number of theories, he came to the conclusion that it is equivalent to the modern "da capo," and is a direction that the air or song is to be repeated from the commencement to the part where the word is placed.

Good Word for Pussy.

Brave Little Bob has received many injunctions to be "manly," the word being used to mean to go about his business bravely and quietly and in a self-respecting manner. The other day Bob's pet cat was suspected of some weakling misdemeanor and Bob rose to the rescue in a hurry. "I'm sure she never did it, mamma," he exclaimed indignantly. "She'd never think of acting in such a manner. She is a very manly cat."

Not being as well informed as Dr. W. D. Matthews, curator of the American Museum of Natural History, is about the matter, you have to take his word for it. "It" happens to be the "Teinoden," or "Terrible Tooth," a prehistoric animal that must have resembled some equally prehistoric delirium tremens animal.

What really interests us is the following statement from Doctor Matthews:

"At that time our ancestors were little, opossumlike, furry creatures, living in trees and quite too small and inconspicuous to be troubled by the huge reptiles who in those days held the earth in fee."

The opossum, like a lot of men, is fond of snoozing.

Squirrels Big as Cats.

There is no country that can rival North America for the great number of squirrels, both species and subspecies, represented in her fauna. In so far as brilliancy of color and size are concerned, however, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington, the handsomest and largest squirrels in the world are found in the Orient and the East Indies. Along the coast of Malabar is found a squirrel as big as an ordinary cat; this animal is bright red on the upper part of its body, offset by the most intense black, while all the lower parts are of a clear yellow.

Sixty Million Chairs Made.

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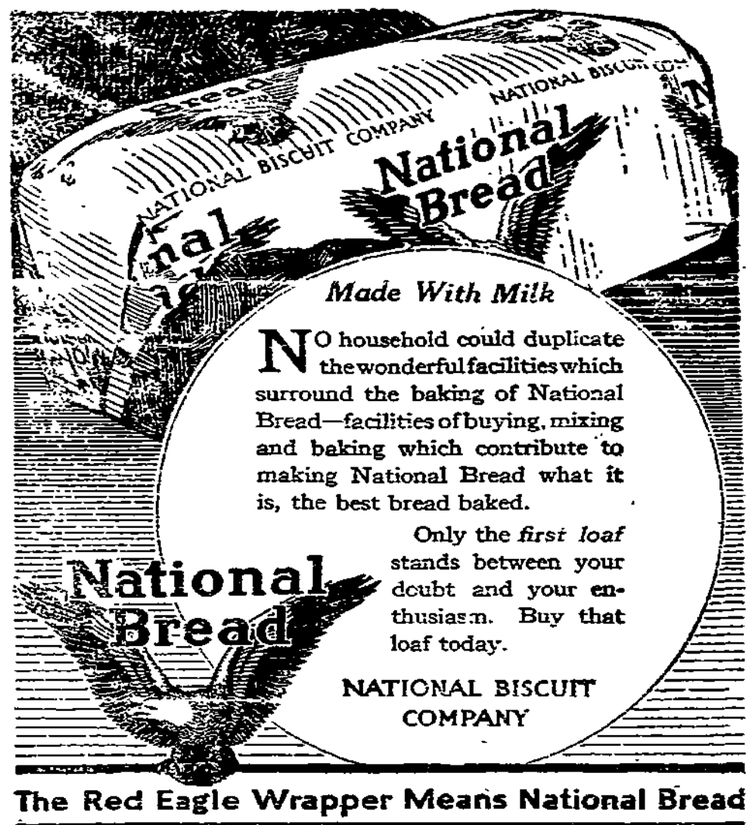
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Speaking Ill of the Absent.

"When the absent are spoken of," said Henry Ward Beecher, "some speak gold of them, some silver, some iron, some lead; some always speak dirt; for they have a natural attraction toward what is evil. I will not say that it is not Christian to make beads of others' faults, and tell them over every day; I say it is infernal. If you want to know how the devil feels, you do know if you are such a one."

Nuts Not Properly Appreciated.

The reason why nut trees are not being planted more extensively in this country is similar to the reason why the automobile was not in use a comparatively few years ago. People had not thought much about it. The time is coming when nut trees will bear as important a relation to our food supply as the automobile does to transportation.

Great Need of the Age.

There is nothing that this age, from whatever standpoint we survey it, needs more, physically, intellectually and morally, than thorough ventilation.—Ruskin.

Not Pure Reading Matter.

"How to lie when asleep," runs a newspaper headline. The space would be better filled persuading people to tell the truth while awake.—Boston Transcript.

Had a Frenzie-d Look.

From a Story—"Frenzie said nothing, and there was something disconcerting in the way he said it."—Boston Transcript.

Nature and Workers.

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Ideal Salad Oil, large 15 oz. bottle.....35c
Mazola Oil, quart can, each 73c
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Saponifier Lye, large can.....10c
Chloride of Lime, large can.....12c
Austin Carpet Cleaner, bottle 21c
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Farm House Macaroni, or Elbow, per pkg.....11c
Farm House Corn, can.....19c
Farm House Peas, can 19c
Fresh ground Malt, per lb. 22c
Pressed Hops, per pkg. 45c
Good size California Prunes, per lb. 19c
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Silver Skin Onions, 3 pounds for 25c
Fancy Cucumbers, each 10c
Sweet Potatoes, 2 pounds for 25c
Onion Sets, per pound 25c
Stringless Beans, per can 13c
Loyal Plums, per can 21c
Gold Bar Seeded Raisins, 1 lb. package 29c
Elbow Macaroni, 10c package 5c
Spaghetti, 10c package 5c
New English Walnuts, per pound 40c
Evaporated apples, per pound 25c
Evaporated peaches, large yellow, pound.....30c
Extra large prunes 30-40 to a pound 35c
California Strained Honey, almost as cheap as sugar, per pound 35c
California White Cherries, tall can 30c
Red Raspberries, good syrup, can 48c
Fresh laid eggs, per dozen 50c
Washington Crisp, pkg 10c
Tetley's tea, 1-2 pound pkg 45c
Lipton tea, 1-2 pound pkg 45c
Salada tea, 1-2 pound pkg 45c
Everyday Milk, tall can 13c
Rumford Baking Powder, lb can 27c
Del Monte Pementoes, can 18c
Large can California Sliced peaches.....43c
Sliced California Peaches, tall can.....25c
Large can California peaches in halves.....39c
Large can Del Monte peaches 45c
Octagon Soap, 10 cakes for 78c
Crystal White Soap, 10 cakes for 55c
P. & G. Naptha Soap, 10 cakes for 78c
Lava Soap, cake 6c
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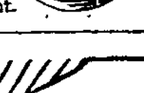

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Robin and Dandelion Loved by Children Throughout the World, and Eagerly Looked For.

Someone has said that the dandelion is pre-eminently the children's flower for it grows all over the world and is known and loved by the little ones of every nation. The robin holds the same place in the affection of the children of this country, his arrival in the spring being eagerly looked for by them. And yet a charming woman asked recently while listening to a song sparrow and a white throat, "Does a robin sing, too?" Think of all she has lost—at dawn, at twilight and in the summer showers! Poor city dweller.

And that reminds me of an incident in a railroad yard in Michigan. A pair of robins built their nest in a freight car, and just as the brood was hatched the order came to send the car on to Chicago. The yardmen, after consultation, telegraphed the situation to headquarters, and the order came instantly back to sidetrack the car till the babies were able to leave the nest. The men at both ends of the line were country boys, without doubt.

Our own particular robins are back in full feather, fat, red and saucy as ever. We miss the one who always hopped instead of running, on account of some injury in his youth, and who was here every summer for four years. —Chicago Daily News.

ECUADOR HAS FEW SCHOOLS

Colleges in South American Country Out of All Proportion to Primary Institutions.

If the proportion of whites in the population of a country is to be taken as an indication of its intellectual status, then one might fairly expect only a very moderate intellectual achievement from Ecuador. One of the smallest of Andean countries, with its few mountain towns linked with the rest of the world practically not otherwise than through its one important seaport, its entire population is only about 1½ million, and of this number all are Indians and blacks excepting the four hundred thousand of mixed origin and a mere one hundred thousand whites.

At best, the twelve hundred primary schools, with a nominal attendance of eighty thousand, do not begin to account for all the children of school age, and the thirty or forty secondary schools have to do with no more than forty-five hundred pupils, all told.

Like all Andean countries, however, Ecuador gives preferment to all who assume to follow a professional career, and for higher instruction she counts the three universities of Quito, Guayaquil and Cuenca, with six provincial schools of trades and professions.

Officers Copy d'Annunzio.

Gabriele d'Annunzio's bald head has set the fashion for the officers of his little army in Fiume, many of whom have shaved their craniums and are endeavoring to grow miniature Vandyke beards as copies of the poet's chin adornment.

The Fiume aviators have adopted the craze with greater zeal than other branches and call themselves "Iron Heads." Youthful officers in their teens and early twenties have shaved their heads and are wearing little pointed beards in an effort to look as much like the poet as they can.

Mixed uniforms of French horizon blue and Italian gray green are worn by d'Annunzio's men with great pride.

Increase in Japan's Coal Output.

Shipping and Engineering notes with interest that the output of coal in Japan during the first 11 months of 1919 was put at 25,825,000 tons, showing an increase of 2,740,000 tons, or about 10 per cent, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, in spite of the pessimistic reports made from time to time of the gradual exhaustion of the mines. This was attributed to the revival of old mines and the increase in the number of new mines, owing to the profitable prices obtaining, although the output in Kyushu, which constitutes 60 per cent of the total output, did not materially change.

Making a Hit.

I had an engagement one evening with a young woman friend, with whom I was endeavoring to make a big hit, writes a correspondent. We went to the theater; I walked up to the box office and asked for two tickets. Thinking I had them, my companion walked in ahead. I put my hand into my pocket, and, holy smoke, I had forgotten to take any money with me! I turned red and white, but that was nothing compared to how I felt when the usher gently broke the news and escorted my girl to a door marked "exit." Did I make a hit? I've got the chills yet.

Identifying the Nickel.

James evidently had a buffalo nickel of the first vintage, for he was having trouble with central. In reply to his "I did drop a nickel," central demanded, "Well, what kind of a nickel are you trying to use?" "I dunno what kind it is," he replied, "but it's got a little bull on it."

Appearances.

Rafferty," said Mr. Dolan, "I hear overalls are to become fashionable."

"I hope not. They'll put cuffs on the bottoms, make 'em narrow waisted, with belts in the back, and completely ruin their appearance."

Ford

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World's Highest Peaks.

The highest mountain peak in North America is Mt. McKinley, in Alaska, whose altitude is 20,300 feet, and the highest in South America, Mt. Aconcagua, in the Andes, on the border of Chile and Argentina, 23,080 feet. The highest mountain in the world is Mt. Everest, in the Himalayas, in Asia. Its altitude is 29,002 feet. There are several hundred mountain peaks in the Himalayas 20,000 feet or over, running to an altitude of 28,278 feet.

Cruelty in Training Birds.

Performing birds are often taught by starvation. How many are aware that the pretty doves that fly when released to the bespangled artists, and form themselves into geometrical patterns on her head and outstretched arms, are often the sole survivors of hundreds which have been starved and then only fed when they perched upon an exact spot on the owner's arms.

Picturesque Lisbon.

Lisbon, the westernmost of European capitals, spreads itself in leisurely fashion over its 11 hills, extending for more than five miles along the shores of the famous Rada de Lisboa, and for more than three miles inland. Beyond the narrow channel leading out of the Rada through which flow the waters of the Tagus lies the open sea, and some 800 miles away over the horizon to the west are the Azores.

Fortune Awaits Inventor.

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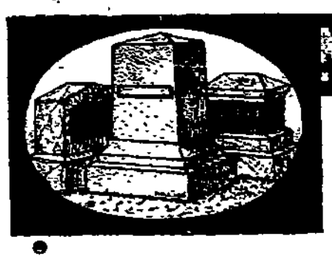
Perhaps Carpenters Struck.

The Victoria tower of the houses of parliament, at Westminster, took some twenty years to build. From base to summit the tower contains 140 spacious rooms—each fireproof and packed with state papers, the records of centuries of English history.

General Grant Knew.

To Johnnie Hoskins: Yes, you are right. Soldiers always grew tired of beans as a steady diet. We think it was General Grant who said: "Let us have peas."—Arkansaw Thomas Cat.



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SAY LIQUOR IS BEING SERVED IN SOME OF NEARBY COUNTIES

Tastes Like the Stuff of the Days Before the War, And Has "Kick"

GOVERNMENT MAY INVESTIGATE

According to what appears to be reliable statements, the thirsty ones who like something with a "kick" in it are notwanting for the stimulant when they have a desire for a drink.

It is said that beer of the quality brewed before the war-time prohibition went into effect is flowing freely in western Pennsylvania. and that many bars in Westmoreland and Allegheny counties are dispensing the liquid regularly to thirsty customers. A man who visited in New Kensington on Saturday last is reported to have said that he visited five bar rooms in the town and found them crowded to the doors. but that finally he was served in each of them and was rewarded with a glass of old fashioned beer.

It is also said that there appears to be some attractive spots in the vicinity of Monongahela and that many strange autos and taxicabs appear to find their way to the outskirts of that city. all of which sem to bring those who are seeking something stronger than one-half of one per cent beer.

Federal authorities on Thursday admitted that bogus and forged permits have figured largely in the withdrawal of more than 500,000 gallons of whiskey in the Pittsburg district since the 16th of January, and from the rumors which are going around, there appears to be a sort of an underhand trade in liquor by the case as well as by the quart, with the prices varying according to the supply. The demand is always sufficient to take what is offered, but the price appears to depend on circumstances. It is said the government officials are now preparing to check up the whiskey traffic and permit holders may be compelled to show what they have done with the liquor withdrawn. Just the same there appears to be but little difficulty in getting liquor if one wants it and is willng to pay the price.

PLAYING IN SEMI-FINAL BALL GAME

The Monessen High school baseball team is playing the Wilkinsburg High team in the semi-finals at the Carnegie Tech grounds Pittsburg this afternoon. A large contingent of Monessen rooters accompanied the team. which has made quite a record this year. winning every game which counts in the championship of the W. P. I. L. If Monessen should win it will play the winner of the Allegheny-Westinghouse game, which is being played today.

Marriage license was issued in Washington on Thursday to Ernest John Ritzer, Jr., and Kathryn Marie Kibler, both of Charleroi.

INFORMAL OPENING AT THE BATHING BEACH

C'mon in, the water's fine," is once more the slogan at the bathing beach, which is being placed in use by those bathers who refuse to wait until all the appliances are placed for the opening of theseason. Quite a number of bathers used the beach during the week, and it was evident that the water "was fine," from the way in which the bathers appeared to enjoy the plunge. Incidentally, the one-piece bathing suit promises to be quite prominent ths season.

DANGEROUS TRIO MAKE A CONFESSION

The arrest of three men by county detectives Lair and Weiner may serve to clear up a robbery which occurred in Belle Vernon a short time ago, in which a number of foreigners were robbed of their savings by men who represented themselves as officers of the law.

The three men arrested made a confession before Justice Cochran of McDonald on Thursday in the presence of representatives of the district attorney's office and the men have been committed to jail.

The men were arrested for stealing an automobile at Washington. and it developed during the hearing at McDonald that they had been implicated in robberies at VanVoorhis and Hazel Kirk. on Pigeon creek at Cokeburg, and at Shaw mine. Their method was to visit the homes of foreign miners, place some one under arrest, and then search the house taking all the valuables they could find. They will be taken to Cokeburg for a hearing on charges growing out of the robberies there. The men have been positively identified by a number of their victims. They gave their names as Joe Black, alias Joe Czarnetsky, George Arechenski and Joe Karich.

ASKS INJUNCTION IN BILL OF EQUITY

C. F. Reed has filed a suit in equity against Harriet R. Tuman and Mrs. Mae Frye in whch he seeks to enjoin the defendants from interfering with what he terms the lawful use of a certain strip of ground in Fallowfield township, used as an outlet for certain coal workings in the township.

The plaintiff controls the coal under certain property of the defendant, Harriet R. Tuman. The only public road, it is set forth, accessible to this coal is the county road from the Withrow school house to Charleroi. Consequently, the plaintiff avers, he entered into an oral agreement with Harriet R. Tuman for the use of a strip of ground 100 feet in width, extending from the coal of the plaintiff. It is averred that at the time this agreement was made it was suggested that it be reduced to writing, but she is said to have replied that no written agreement was necessary and refused to sign one. When an attempt was made recently to use this strip of ground the defendant says he was interfered with and threatened with bodily harm.

Commencement Week at the California State Normal

At the annual commencement begining June 18 the South-western State Normal School at California will graduate a class of seventy-six students. Elaborate social events will feature the commencement period.

The commencement will open with the presentation of the Junior class play, "Mrs. Temple's Telegram," under the direction of Miss Marjorie Lee, of the department of public speaking. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. A. E. Gobble, president of Albright college, Meyerstown, Sunday evening, June 20, Monday, June 21, the piano pupils of Dr. Charles Veon, of the conservatory, will give their annual recital. Tuesday, June 22, at 1:30 p. m., the class day exercises will be observed. On the evening of the same day the annual Clio-Philo inter-society literary contest will be held. Miss Grace Anderson of Charleroi, will represent the Clio society in the oratorical contest.

The state board of examinations will be held June 7, 8, and 10 and on Friday, June 11, the model school will entertain with a delightful operetta entitled "The Childhood of Hiawatha."

Wednesday, June 23, will be commencement day and the commencement address will be delivered by Dr J. I. Woodruff, of Selins Grove a member of the State Board of Education and author of the teacher's salary bill.

Two members of the graduating class. Miss Grace Anderson and Miss Sylvia Martin, are from Charleroi.

ANNUAL RECEPTION TO LIGHT BEARERS

The annual reception to "The Little Light Bearers," a missionary organizaton in connecton with the Woman's Missionary Society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, was held in the Sunday school room of the church on Thursday afternoon, and was largely attended. The room was decorated with flowers and ferns and every provision made for te comfort of the little ones. A missionary program was given in which children in costume, representing the foreign fields, made a plea for the gospel. The children were under the direction of Mrs. Edwin McKay assisted at the piano by Miss Myrtle Anderson.

The pleasant weather was much appreciated by the mothers present, and the music was an inspiring feature. Mrs. Pfleghardt, the president of the Missionary Society presided and the devotional period was taken by Mrs. I. L. Nickeson. Tables were set and the little ones given every attention. At the close it was found that the organization has a membership of 150, with 130 present. The social hour was much enoyjed, with a large number of visitors present.

MOONSHINE WHISKEY MAKER DRAWS A FINE

Frank Belois of Monessen. pleaded guilty in the United States District Court in Pittsburg on Thursday to violating the prohibition law by manufacturing moonshine whiskey, was sentenced by Judge W. H S. Thomson to pay a fine of $125.

Some inkling of what becomes of the sugar is furnished by the story of 65 carloads sidetracked for weeks in Chicago and sold over and over again by speculators

MINE DISASTER INQUEST NEXT WEEK

Coroner William Greenlee announced on Thursday that the inquest to inquire into the disaster at the mine of the Ontario Gas Coal company, near Cokeburg, in which six men were killed on Wednesday would be held at the mortuary of James V. McDonough, at Beallsville next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

All the bodies of the victims have been recovered and arrangements for the burial of four of the victims completed. The remains of the three men who wer at th bottom of the air shaft when the terrific explosion occurred were brought to the surface during Wednesday night by members of the rescue team from Ellsworth. All of the bodies were badly mangled.

Funeral services for Alve Sweeney constructing engoneer and superintendent, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Ellsworth Presbyterian church, in charge of Rev. Rylands, with interment in Monongahela cemetery.

TRAVELLING FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN

Thomas Fisher, a member of the Keystone Field Club of Wilmington Del., walking on a wager from Coney Island, N. Y., to Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in Charleroi last night. Mr. Fisher left Coney Island on the 7th of May, and coming by way of Baltimore and Washington. reached Charleroi on the3rd of June. Last night he was entertained by the Moose Club, and today continued his journey, going by way of Pittsburg. He is to complete his transcontinental journey by the7th of November and if he does so he will be the winner of a wager of $1,000. In his journey he is obligated not to ride on a train or a trolley car. He will travel by way of the National road, the Lincon Highway and through the west by way of the Santa Fe trail. Mr. Fisher was highly complimentary to the local Moose. who entertained him so handsomely last night.

CARNIVAL COMPLIES WITH RESOLUTION OF COUNCIL

PRISONERS' WORK WAS A COSTLY EXPERIMENT

In the nterest of public economy the commissioners of Blair county recently had the courthouse renovated and repaired by a working force of jail prisoners. The officials received a rude jolt on Wednesday when they were presented with bills for $1,186.05 for feeding the prisoners and $75.30 for cigarets supplied the prisoners, w hile the work was in progress. The Sheriff will also claim fees for keeping the jail open for the prisoners.

PROVISIONS FOR USE OF DEALER'S TAGS

A motor vehicle bearing a dealer's license tags can legally be driven only for the purpose of demonstrating. testing or selling. the State Highway Department has ruled. It has come to the attention of the Department that many dealers throughout the State are misusing their dealer's tags.

A portion of Section 7 of the Act approved by Governor Sproul, June 30, 1919, reads as follows:

"No person or persons shall use or permit the use of the plates issued under a dealer's re gistration on any motor ve hicle other than those owned by such d ealer and operated by such dealer or his e mployes. or for a ny purpose other than demonstrating said vehicle to a prospective purchaser, or testing, or removing same from storage place, shipping point, or place of delivery, before or after s ale."

Only manufacturers of or dealers in motor vehicles are entitled to procure dealers' license tags. During the last two months the Department has received information to the effect that numerous dealers are using dealers' tags on machines devoted solely to family use. A case has been reported to this Department in which a Chester County produce merchant had only dealers' tags on a heavy truck which he used in his business. From a western portion of the State came a report that an omnibus was beng operated with a dealers' tags. Under the law. as stated,a motor vehicle with a dealer's license tags can be driven only for the purpose of demonstrating, testing or selling. The State Policemen who are patrolling the highways have picked up numerous violators of this provision.

WILL HOLD INQUEST ON MONDAY NEXT

Coroner Greenlee has fixed Monday afternoon, June 7 at 3 o'clock, Eastern Standard. or 4 o'clock, daylight saving, as the time for holding the inquest to inqure into the circumstances surrounding the death of Walter Stansholtz. at the Calhoun bridge on Wednesday morning. The inquest will be held at the undertaking rooms of M. T. Crowley.

Pay License Fee and Prepare to Post a Forfeit Against Gambling

SHOWS WERE OPEN LAST NIGHT

The license fee for the carnival now showing at theball park was paid into the borough clerk's office this m orning, with a promise that the $200 deposit required by council as a guarantee that no gambling would be permitted on the grounds, would be posted some timetoday.

Representatives of the carnival called at the borough clerk's office yesterday afternoon with a proposition that the forfeit be placed in certain hands. they to determine whether any gambling had taken place at theground. They were informed that the resolution of council provided that the forfeit must be placed in the hands of the borough clerk and that he had no power to change them. They then asked if they could see Dr. Repman President of Council, and they were directed to his office.

In an interview with Dr. Repman they were told that the terms of the resolution must be complied with, that he license fee mus be paid, and that the $200 forfeit must be posted. Asked if the forfeit would be returned Saturday atmidnight they were informed in the negative. Attorney Roy Carson being called into the conference, told them that the money would be retained over Monday next at least, and if any complaint of gambling was made against the carnival, the matter would have to go into a hearing. Council will meet early in the week, when the matter would be disposed of. Being finally convinced that council was determined to carry out the terms of the resolution they arranged to make the payment and post the forfeit. The shows were open as usual last night and will continue to exhibit here until the closing hour Saturday night.

TINPLATE WILL RESUME SUNDAY

The Monessen tin mill, after a shut down of two months, will resume operations at the regular time next Sunday night. At that time trains No. 1, 2 and 3. comprising twelve 800 men will go on full turns. About 800 men will begiven employment. The mill suspended operations at the time of the beginning of the "outlaw" railroad strike and made no attempt to resume until the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad company got back to something like normal conditions in theway of moving freight.

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